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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.17 (a)

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the Examiner's Office Action mailed October 14, 2003 in which a three-month period for response was set to expire on January 14, 2004. After granting the request for a two-month extension of time, the response period will expire on March 14, 2004.

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No other fees are believed necessary, however if additional fees are required please charge Deposit Account No. 04-1696.

Respectfully submitted,

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